

The Director of Central Intelligence
Washington, D.C. 20505

National Intelligence Council

NIC 03201-88
20 October 1988

LtGen Leonard H. Perroots
Director, Defense Intelligence Agency
The Pentagon
Washington, DC 20301

Dear General Perroots:

We would like to obtain the services of one of your analysts, [redacted] and I hope you will agree to a two-year reimbursable detail (with the possibility of a third year) whereby [redacted] to would join the staff of our Analytic Group.

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As a member of the Analytic Group, he would draft estimates and intelligence memoranda, and would coordinate NIC products with the intelligence community. I am particularly hopeful that he will work on Chinese military and foreign policy issues, and on other key North and East Asian matters. These areas will be of particular concern to the next administration and will be among the priorities for analysis in the NIC.

One of my goals as Chairman is to make the staff of the National Intelligence Council more representative of the intelligence community. At present, however, we have only one person from DIA. [redacted] assignment here would help achieve better balance and DIA representation in the NIC. Furthermore, I believe that he would benefit personally and professionally from two years here and would be better equipped for any assignment when he returns to DIA.

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Please let me know whether you agree to this temporary assignment. If you or your staff have any questions, please call me or [redacted] Director, Analytic Group. Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

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Fritz W. Ermarth
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Chairman

ROUTING AND RECORD SHEET				
SUBJECT: (Optional) Obtaining Services of [redacted]				
FROM: [redacted] Director NIC/Analytic Group		EXTENSION [redacted]	NO. NIC 03201-88	
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1. [redacted] Director NIC/AG				1 to 5. [redacted] has agreed [redacted] in principle, and has advised appropriate people at DIA & our interest in [redacted]
2. [redacted] AO/NIC Admin	21 Oct 88		MLC	
3. Carl W. Ford, Jr. NIO/EA	24 Oct		Q	
4. David D. Gries VC/NIC	24 Oct		DG	
5. Fritz W. Ermarth C/NIC				
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